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ATTACHMENT

MEXICO

WAVE

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PRIMEN HTBASTA

REPS A MEXICO 6536 (IN 40401)

B WAVE 6006 (IN 41480)

1. IN ADDITION TO WAVE TRACES, FOLLOWING FROM MADRID SOURCE QUESADA (OSMA 14927) WHO KNOWS SUBJ WELL IS OF INTEREST. SUBJ IS

PROBABLY THE MOST KNOWLEDGEABLE CONSULAR OFFICER IN THE SERVICE AND IS PROUD OF FACT THAT HE RECEIVES MAIL WORLDWIDE & ASKING HIS ADVICE ON CONSULAR PROCEDURES. HE VERY ORDERLY AND DOES EVERYTHING EXACTLY BY THE BOOK, BEING SO LEGALISTIC THAT HE GOT ON SOURCE'S NERVES. HE NEVER TRUSTED BY 26 OF JULY MEMBERS. SOURCE DOES NOT CONSIDER HIM COMMUNIST BUT "JUST OLD MAN WITH TWO SMALL CHILDREN AFRAID OF LOSING HIS JOB". HE IS SPECIAL FRIEND OF CELIA GILDEA WHO ALSO ONCE WORKED AS HIS SECRETARY. HAS A DAUGHTER IN NEW YORK AND LAWYER SON IN HAVANA BY FIRST WIFE. SECOND WIFE IS MEXICAN BY WHOM HAS TWO SMALL DAUGHTERS.

2. LEAD IS SIGHTED WHILE ONLY IF LITANI-3 HAS INFO INDICATING THAT SUBJ HAS ACCESS TO SIGNIFICANT INTELL ON PERUVIAN GOVT. INCLUDING POLICY DECISIONS VIA-A-VIA HTBASTA. BECAUSE SPECIAL CLEARANCE REQUIRED TO RUN OP AGAINST SUBJ WE DO NOT USE THAT LOCAL COVERAGE OF

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OPERATING OFFICERS

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THIS DISCUSSION ALONE COULD BE SUFFICIENT TO JUSTIFY REQUESTING APPROVAL
IN VIEW OF TRACES AND SWING OUR DIRECTION TO LITAMIL & PITCH IT SO AS
NOT APPEAR ILLICIT OR CALL DEFECT OR ACCEPT FULL RECRUITMENT. HOWEVER
IT COULD ALSO BE REGARDED AS REINFORCING BADS FRIENDSHIP WITH L-3.

3. CHECK WHAT CIRCUMSTANCES DID L-3 MEET WITH IN NEW YORK
AND WHAT IS MEANING AND L-3 IDENTIFIED TO HIM AS "KEY MAN"? WHAT IS
SAID IN THE PAPER CONCERNING THE KEY AND WHERE TRAVEL NEXT PERIODICALLY
TO VISIT BIRD'S RELATIVES WHERE A PITCH COULD BE MADE SECURELY MADE?

4. REQUEST YOU HAVE L-3 FURNISH ADDITIONAL INFO TO DETER
ON HIS ABILITY OR DESIRE OF WHICH TO REQUEST INDIVIDUAL SPECIAL APPROVAL
TO ~~DO IT~~ I-3 REQUESTS THAT YOU SEND ME PERTINENT ASSISTANT AND
~~REBACOM~~

END OF TELETYPE

cc: 3. *Franklin*
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INFO: 1.
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